IN THE BOSTON MARKETS.

Butter Sellers Find Buyers Not Auxious to Chaffer,

Cold Storage Stock Largely Used, and Prices Affected Thereby-Extreme Figgres thard to Obtain For Fresh Eggssituation as to Other Offerings.

Boston, Oct, 19.-Higher prices for butfor are quoted in the west and in New York, but sellers here find it difficult to get much if any advance. Perhaps the cincipal cause is that we have more cold storage butter and of better quality than other leading points, and that holders are more willing to sell at a low price. This butter is being largely used in the retail trade, and as long as it gives satisfaction grocers will take it at a slight difference in price. Along with this are the receipts of fresh made, which are full as large as last year at this time, if not larger. Of course, if dealers here cannot return within one cent as much as dealers do in other places, shipments will he decreased, and the matter will regulate itself in time.

There was a wide difference of opinion in regard to the value of butter yesterday n this market, and it may be well to let dealers speak for themselves. One receiver said: "We ought to get 22 cents for assorted tubs and 2215 to 23 cents for boxes, but we have not yet made any sales to the trade at those figures." Still another: "I have just sold a lot of 50 tubs of northern creamery in large tubs at 20% cents, but I suppose I should have got 21 cents for it." Taking these prices as a basis, 21 to 21% cents would be a fair selling quotation for most of the north ern butter offered, with 22 cents as the asking rate for fancy lots. Boxes, 22 to

A quotation of 29% to 21% cents may be given for western creamery, with the expectation of a higher range later in the week. But very few dealers were in a hopeful mood, owing to the lack of buyers. There were some sales of ladler at 13% to 14 cents, and medium creamery at 15 to 16 cents, for export.

For cold storage stock there was some inquiry, but not many sales. One of the leading brokers said: "There are more sellers than buyers at 10½ cents, though some holders of fine Junes want 20 cents. I consider 19 to 1914 cents a full selling rate today." Other parties who had June stock to sell said they could not get ver 1912 cents, and not many buyers at

Most of the jobbers were serving their customers at the old prices. They sup-posed they would soon have to advance rates if the outside markets kept rising, but for the present 221/2 to 23 cents cov ered most of their sales in tubs. Boxes ruled at 23 to 24 cents. Trade moderate.

The receipts of butter for the week foot up 19,170 tubs and 27,809 boxes, a total weight of 929,862 pounds, against 864,895 pounds the previous week and 739,861 pounds the corresponding week last year.

The statement of the Quincy Market Cold Storage company for the week is as follows: Put in, 2,562 tubs; taken out 9,053 tubs; stock, 139,734 tubs, against 157,364 tubs same time last year. For the corresponding week last year 5,415 tubs were put in and 10,311 tubs taken out. The Eastern company holds 11,-549 tubs, and the amount added to the Quincy's stock makes a total of 151,273 tubs, a decrease of 6,091 tubs as com pared with last year.

CHEESE AND EGGS.

There is not much change to note in cheese. Demand has been moderate, with sales of northern late made at 9 to 91/2 cents, including large and small Some fancy twins run up to 9% cents, but as a rule no more than 91/2 cents can be depended upon for round Early makes take a lower range.

There was a moderate demand yester day for fresh eggs, but extreme prices were not easily obtained for the bulk of the offerings. Northern Ohio, Indiana and Michigan choice sold at 181/2 to 19 cents, with an occasional fancy mark at 19% cents; other fresh western at 17 to 18 cents. Fresh eastern ranged from 19 to 21 cents. Refrigerator stock stendy at 1 to 15 cents. The stock in cold storage was reduced 2,56% cases during the week, and stands at 80.078 cases against 63.812 cases same time last year FLOUR AND THE CEREALS.

The flour market holds firm, with a rather quiet trade. Prices are unchanged at \$3,900 4.30 for spring patents, mill shipment, and at the following flour trade committee prices: Spring wheat clears, \$3663.50; straights, \$3,25673.75; patents, \$4,259/4.75; new, \$3,85@4.50; winter wheat, clears, \$3.35@3.75; straights \$3.50@p4: patents, \$3.75@4.25.

No changes are quoted in the meal markets: Barrel cornmeal, \$1.70@1.75; bag meal, 76%78c: vellow granulated, \$2,10% 2.35; rolled oatmeal, \$3.40@3.90; ground and cut, \$3.80% 1.25.

Corn is still a little more firm: Track steamer yellow, 3914@3914c; No. 2 yellow, 3915@3954c; No. 2 yellow, to arrive, 3915c; No. 3 yeilow, 3914c.

Oats are unchanged: Fancy heavy, 22%@33c; No. 2 clipped, 31%c; No. 3, 31c; rejected, 30@30%c; no grade, 30c. To arrive, 34 to 36 lb, 3014@3014e; 36 to 38 lb, 30%@31c; 38 to 40 lb, 31%@31%c; fancy heavy, 3116@3216c.

Hay is doing rather better under smaller receipts. Straw is firmer, Mill-feed is steady: Hay, \$6@14; fancy old, in jobbing lots, \$15@16; rye straw, \$8.50 00: sack spring bran, \$14.25@14.50; sack #inter, \$14.75@15.

PORK, BEEF AND POULTRY. Pork and lard are firm, with fresh tibs the higher: Barrel pork, \$13@13.50; bght backs, \$12; lean ends, \$14.50; fresh ribs, 915c; corned and fresh shoulders, 55c; smoked shoulders, 6%@7%c; lard, blac: In pails, 6% @7c; hams, 9@94c.

Beef is very quiet, with prices irregular. Some of the sellers still charge at the rate of 9@9%c for the best steers: Steers, 7@9c; forequarters, 5@61/2c; hindquarters, 91/4/20; rumps and loins, 131/4 Wine: loins, 14@17c.

Lambs are pretty firm, with muttons well sustained: Spring lambs, 7@9c; Brighton and fancy, 8@914c; muttons, 6@ to: Brighton and fancy muttons, 7@814c; veals, 7@9c; fancy and Brighton, 10c.

The poultry market is rather more firm, except that alive was a little casier: Turkeys, iced, 12@15c; chickens, fresh, 12@18c; Iced, 10@12c; fowls, fresh, 12014c; iced. 9@ifc; live fowls, 8@9c; live

chickens, Suge Tallow, 3@3lec per pound. New York, Oct. 20 .- Tallow steady: City, 3%c; country, 3%@3%c.

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Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that there will.

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had done some mighty bad drawing in his time, but Gibson has never said much about it so far as I have heard. And he has never needed to, either, for his place is and was then too well won to stand in the least danger from any such cause. Are Gibson's Pictures Good Art? There are a lot of critics who declare to this day that Gibson's pictures are not

success being the best test is as true of pic tures as it is of anything else. DEXTER MARSHAUL

IN THE LOCAL FIELD.

How C D. Gibson, Delineator of the American Girl, Won Out.

He Began to Sell His Artistic Work When Only Six - Started Life In Wall Street, but Just Had to Draw Pictures,

OUR NEW YORK LETTER

NEW YORK, Oct. 20,-[Special.]-Charles Dana Gilson, the "society" draftsman, who holds a place in America much more like that held for so many years by the lamented Du Maurier in England than any one else has ever achieved on this side water, has just settled himself in one of the apartments fitted up by General Daniel E. Siekles in his house on lower Fifth avenue. And while this may not be an item of supreme importance it does possess a certain significance—the limner of the ideal American girl is certainly a personage of more or less interest both to those who like to look at pretty pictures and those who leve the American girl her-

Gibson is 30. He is generally termed a New Yorker, but he is a son of this town by adoption only Beston was his birth lace, and he lived there through several years of carcless carly beyhood. He says himself that he was as fond of fun as any boy ought to be, but even at play his bent was artistle, and by the time he was 6 he was known by all the neighboring chil-dren and the old folks, too, as the boy who could cut paper likenesses of anyhody he happened to see. In fact, his family used to like too show off this accomplishment of his to visitors, and he was as pleased to take part in the exhibitions as his elders were to have him. The boy could cut out sheep and cows and horses, too, and, seeing that his handiwork was so much admired, he decided to go entting silhoueties for a living, taking his brother and a little girl they knew for partners. They scored an instant success, for a grinning milkman's boy bought a paper cow from the childish tricon condition that it should be cut out while he walted, agreeing to pay 3 cents for the same. This, however, was the extent of the business done, and it was not till after young Gilson had become a New Yorker or his family thought of his making art a

Gibson's Beginnings. The Gibson household removed hither before he had reached his teens, and he

went to work as a boy in a Wall street broker's office. But, to tell the truth, he used to think more about pictures than stocks and pencils than bonds, and he spent a lot of time belonging to his employer decorating the walls of the office and the blank leaves of account books with the crude embodiments of his fancy. Still be cultivated a liking for the life in Wall stree and looked forward with long-ing to the acce when he would be a broker on the floor instead of only a messenger. Perhaps he might now be a financier but for Guitean's fatal bullet.

The shooting of Garfield set all the boys

he knew to copying the printed portraits of the assassin's victim, and some of the older ones among them made up a purse of a dollar to be given to the boy who drew the most successful copy. Gibson won this dollar, and that settled his career. He shook the dust of Wall street from his feet forthwith and betock himself to the school of the Art Students' league. There he studied faithfully for two years-studied till be concluded he knew a lot about art. Then he took a portfolio filled with his cherished drawings and sketches and visited literally every publisher of illustrated literature in New York.

It was a weary, weary tramp, and it took up many days. Discouragement was long his portion too, Some of the art managers wouldn't look at his work. Others looked only to sneer at his uncertain, scraggy lines and his faulty drawing. He got so after awhile that he didn't try to his bundle of drawings to the hov guarding the door and walked away to return in a day or two with the moral certaints

that it would be handed back unopened. But he never gave up, and one day he made his hit. He got up a drawing of a dog baying at the moon, based on a song the whole town was humming, and took it to the office of Life. The art manager accepted the picture and paid the boy \$1 for it. Gibson was amazed at such liber-ality and hurried away as fast as he could, for fear that sum would later be thought too much. But there had been no mistake. The ice was broken at last, and the prices the young artist began to receive were far better than he had hoped for in his wildest dreams.

Fighting Hard For Place. But he hadn't yet won a secure place as

an illustrator by any sort of means. Life's art manager didn't find something worth buying in the Gibson portfolio every week for many a long fronth after that, and so Gibson did what Abbey, now the mural painter par excellence, and Bush, the car-toonist, and E. A. Frest, the illustrator, and scores of others had done before him He peddled his work from week to week to whomever would buy,

In those days the markets for pictures

were far more circumscribed than now, being limited virtually to Life, Puck, Judge and an occasional ephemeral com-petitor. A little later the perfection of the echanical means of reproducing drawings cheaply gave illustration, especially that of newspapers, a big boom, and pres-ently fairly competent artists, instead of being a drug in the market, actually came to be in demand. This was a help to Gibson, of course, but yet there were weeks when, somehow, he couldn't seem to please any of the buyers and his income was distressingly small as a whole and outrageously uncertain.

It was then that he sold a lot of drawings at wholesale or in the lump, so to speak, to one of the best known comic weeklies and told them he didn't care whether they ever used the work or not so long as he got a little money—at least that is the way the story goes, and, at all events, the publisher of this paper kept many of Gibson's pictures till long after in driblets. Some of Gibson's friends have said that this was done out of spite, just to show the public that Life's star artist

good art in spite of their vogue. Maybe the critics are right, but the public doesn't agree with them. And the old saw about

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WEST WAPDSHORO. Almon King of New York is visiting at Geo, Putnam's

M. W. Brown and C. Merle Stocker are in New York city.

Mrs. Seaver and Mrs. White have been at the hotel recently. J. S. Telford and Caleb Clark have gone

Searsburg to work. Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Frederick are visitng in New London, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Porter of Sterling. Mass., are visiting at J. W. Ingalls's. Silas P. Fairbanks and Sheridan and Grant Hammond of Winchester, N. H., have been at E. I. Putnam's, also Mrs. L. Torrey of North Hinsdale, N. H.

It is expected Rev. W. J. Smith of Stratton will preach Sunday mornings for a short time, as Rev. Grattan and his family are to visit his mother and other relatives in Buffalo, N. Y , and St. Catherine, Ont.

WRITINGHAM.

Shocking Suicide of Mrs. Geo. Dix. Mrs. George Dix committed suicide Monday morning. She had been in poor health for the past two years and had told her husband several times lately that she wanted to die. Last Friday she took down an old double barreled shot-gun and examined it closely. Her husband told her that she ought not to bandle it and she put it back. Monday morning when he went out to work he told her that she had better have bert stay and help her (they had put on the water ready for the washing) but she said, "No, I'm all right." When her husband came in to dinner she was dead. She evidently took down the gun, fastened it to the bed, sat down on the floor, placed the muzzle close to the back of her ear and fired. Both barrels were empty and it is thought the first one falling to take effect she fired again. The shot passed through her head from the back of her ear out through the temple,

She was the day ghter of David Jillson (her father and moth r both being dead), and wife of George Dix, who survives her, and is in poor health. She also leaves several brothers. The funeral was held at her late home. Wednesday at 11 o'clock

G. A. Boyd was in town Sunday. Dr. Holton and wife arrived home Tues

Alma Morse is with her sister, Mrs.

Samuel May. Wm. Underwood returned from his New York visit Monday.

Dr. A. L. Chase of Randolph, Mass., spent Sunday at A. Chase's. Mrs. O. B. Wheeler and Edna Willard are visiting relatives in Massachusetts.

Mrs. Lurissa Brown returned from a two weeks' visit at Orange, Mass., Tues-Mrs. Lizzie Eddy of Buckland spent

Sunday with her mother, Mrs. George Byron Boyd of Mt. Hermon school came ome on his wheel to spend Sunday at A.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Albee came home from Williamstown last Thursday. They will go to Westfield, Mass., to visit friends Saturday and Nov. 1 they will enter upon their duties at the Putnam House, Ben-

WILLIAMSVILLE.

Death of Mrs. Sarah F. Hazelton. Mrs. Sarah F. Hazelton died at the home her son, W. M. Hazelton, in this village Monday forenoon. Mrs. Hazelton was the daughter of Benjamin and Fanny Reed and was born in Stratton Aug. 22, 1828. Oct. 23, 1850, she was united in marriage with Alonzo B. Hazelton, who died Feb. 22, 1898. Mr. and Mrs. Hazel-Newfane, living a few years in Wardsboro and Townshend. Mrs. Hazelton is sur-

vived by one brother, David Reed of Dumwived by one brother. David Reed of Dummerston, and one sister, Mrs. Clark Harris, now of West Brattleboro, but a long time resident of Wardsboro. Her children now living are William M. of this village, Lestina Brown of Lowell, Mass., and Henry C. of Dummerston. Her funera was held Tuesday afternoon at the South Newfane Baptist church, Rev. S. F. Bickford attending. Her burial was in the South Newfane Representation of the South Newfane Baptist church. Rev. S. F. Bickford attending. Her burial was in the South Newfane cemetery.

Herbert C. Areas For Sensition

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The Methodist society are slating their church. F. E. Willard of Brattleboro has

week. Mrs. Linus Miles of Chicopee Falls,

Mrs. J. A. Young left this week for the home at Warrensburg, Mo., stoppin at Saratoga Springs en route. Rev. D. A. Crafts of Whately; special commission-Ball will occupy Mrs. Young's house until creek, B. W. Fay of New Salem and Amos her return next summer.

WILMINGTON,

Horace W. Miller has removed to Brat-Mrs. John C. Newton is to dielycke for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Estabrook attended the Christian Endeavor convention at Bel-

Representative Charles M. Whis was in town over Sunday, returning to Montpeller on Monday.

W. S. Watkins now occupied to the tenement heretofore occupied to Miller, on West Main street. on West Main street.

on West Main street.

The saw mill at Mountain Mile closed for the season last week and the montractors returned to New Hampahlman. The newly organized band well give a "poverty ball" on Friday contine. The proceeds will be for the band of the or-

ganization. Mrs. Rufus Stanclift died mile sudden-ly Sunday. The funeral was held on Tues-day. She was a woman highly aspected by all who knew her.

by all who knew her.

Mrs. C. M. Russell and "Shahler Leone attended the funeral of the Russell's sister, Mrs. S. W. Scott, at "Awhel' on Thursday of last week. Mrs. Sout died at Nisgara Falls at the house. Her son, Dr. W. A. Scott. Her allmun as cancer. She was a woman of saction worth and held the respect and estern of a large circle of friends and relative.

We are very sorry to the Walter H. Draper has decided to reserve from town. Their house will be succeed for the present, most of the foreign some mining.

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Mr. and Mrs. Draper have the coany friends during their the form and everyone regrets the hope that circumstance the coange that they will return to present, most of the they will return to About 100 voters with present at the special town meeting on Treaday to consider the matter of building a new schoolhouse in the village. After considerable debate it was voted 52 to 46 that a schoolouse be erected at a cost not exceeding

\$5000 including site. Ell H. Porter, E. M. Haynes, Geo. E. Haynes, Edward Titus and F. J. Corbett were elected a ommittee to carry the vote into effect. The location of the new building will be on the fair ground, which is owned by the

BONDVILLE.

Mrs. Flandreau is visiting herold home

Mrs. A. K. Burbank is visiting friends the west side of the mountain. Mrs. Geo. Slade, who has been very ill from pneumonia, is now improving. H. J. Wheeler and wife are visiting

heir son George and other friends in Mas-Miss Hallie Thompson was home from Brattleboro over Sunuay to attend the funeral of Rev. Mr. Putnam.

Mrs. Irving Smith goes this week to Miliville, Mass, to see her son, George Judd, who goes again to California for his health, to spend the winter.

The death of Johnnie Harrington, 18, early Saturday morning was heard with sorrow, as he was the only child of a widowed mother. Much sympathy is felt for her in her lonely condition

Seldom, if ever, has this community een so moved as on hearing of the death of Rev. Mr. Putnam, which occurred Fri-day afternoon, after a brief illness of less than four days. It is not often a pastor is so dearly leved and respected by all who came in contact with him as was Mr. Putnam. He was an earnest, ardent Christian worker in every sense of the word and we feel this influence will be felt, though the heart is stilled, that so yearned for the welfare of this people. His grief-stricken companion and little daughter have the sympathy and love of all. A large concourse of people from this and adjoining towns filled the church to overflowing on Sunday, to pay the last sad rites and to listen to a discourse from Presiding Elder Davenport, who fittingly portrayed the beautiful life and character of this man of God.

MASSACHUSETTS NOTES

Well-Known Newspaper Man Charged With Forgery.

Charles T. Ralston, one of the best known newspaper men of western Massachusetts, formerly editor of the Hoosac Valley News and for the past two years the private secretary of ex-Mayor Houghton, fled from North Adams last week after trying unsuccessfully to cash a forged check for \$1800, bearing the names of Mr. Houghton and F. E. Swift, proprietor of the Wilson House. The officials of the Hoosac savings bank were suspicious and refused to give him the money and he left the city while an investigation was in progress to determine whether the

signatures were genuine. Raiston returned to North Adams Saturday and surrendered himself. He was taken into court, pleaded guilty, and was

held for the grand jury under \$2000 ball. In default of sureties he went to jail. It appears that he went to Troy, going from there Thursday to Bennington, where he attempted to end his life with chloral, but he took so large a dose that his stomach rejected the drug. He appeared at the hotel in Pownal Thursday night, weary and bedraggied, having walked there from Bennington in the storm. He was penniless, highly nervous and excitable. Mr. Kedian, the proprietor, feared that he would commit suicide and took from his coat pocket a bottle of carbolic acid. Mr. Kedian sat up with Ralston all night, and in the morning accompanied him to North

After leaving North Adams Ralston had his whiskers shaved off and his hair

the contract.

J. W. Whitney will spend the winter with his daughter, Mrs. George Barrett of Springfield, Mass.

J. H. Merrifield attended the annual meeting of the Union Mutual Fire Insurance company at Montpelier Wednesday.

Mrs. P. P. White represents the local Universalist convention at Boston this week.

Mrs. Linus Miles of Chicopee Falls, Mass., is at Mrs. Alanson Miles's assisting the care of her father, Cyrus Miles, mass the old county officers as follows: Sheriff, Isaac Chenery of Montague; regis-

NEW HAMPSHIRE NOTES.

A masked burglar entered the house of George Wright of Gilsum Saturday night, about 11 o'clock, and demanded what noney Mr. Wright had in possession at the point of a revolver. He obtained \$16 in cash and escaped.

The Winchester Star of Tuesday contains the following: Evidently the depositors are in no great rush to get the 20 per cent dividend which Security savings bank commenced paying last week, only about \$6500 having been withdrawn from the \$44,000 fund for the seven days ending last night. A good share of the money withdrawn has since been deposited in the Winchester national bank on interest bearThe President an L.L. D.

The degree of doctor of law was con ferred upon President McKinley by Chicago University Monday with elaborate cere mony. After the dean had conferred the degree Dr. Wm. R. Harper, president of the University, spoke as follows:

You, William McKinley, a man endowed with all advantages of education and experience, who at a time of gravest crisis, when the weal not only of this Republic but of foreign states was put in deepest peril, and the path of wisdom lay dark before the people, served each bighest interest, and, by your wisdom and your fore-sight, out of confusion brought a happy ending, the trustees of the University of Chicago on nomination by the academic senate have admitted to the degree of doctor of laws, now for the first time given by them, and have granted and bestowed upon you all bonors, rights and privileges here or elsewhere appertaining to the

In testimony whereof I now present you with the doctor's hood of the University f Chicago, which, in virtue of this degree, you have the right to wear, and with the diploma of the University, and may you increase in wisdom and in virtue, and in days to come as in the past cherish the Republic and defend her.

A Coup D'Etat Planned In France. According to the despatches from Paris

military coup d'etat was planned for last Saturday, when the Minister of War, Gen. Chanoine, was expected to be absent. According to the Paris newspapers, the prime movers in the conspiracy were Gen. de Boisdeffre and Gen. Pellieux, who have been conspicuous in the prosecutions of Dreyfus, Zola and Col. Picquart, and it is further alleged that Gen. Zurlinden, the military governor of the city, who is keep-ing Picquart secre'ly confined in a military orison, was implicated in the scheme. According to some journals, the purpose of the cabal was to bring about a restoration of the empire in the person of Prince Louis Bonaparte, who is a colonel of Russian Lancers, and in whose favor his elder brother, Prince Victor, recently resigned the leadership of the Imperialist party. The preponderant opinion, however, is that the intention of the conspirators was not to disturb President Faure, who is known to be an anti-revisionist, but to arrest the members of the Brisson cabinet and to compel the appointment of a ministry opposed to a retrial of Dreyfus.

Readsboro Milts May Go Into a Trust. The Chemical paper mill of Holyoke is ne of the mills interested in the latest attempt at combination, that of the box board manufacturers. Moses Newton, who is the president of this company, is also interested in the National metal-edge box company of Readsboro. He attended the meeting of the manufacturers in New York last week, at which preliminary steps were taken for the formation of a big ompany on the lines of the International paper company to control the pulp board interests of the country. Mr. Newton said that the matter was yet in the preliminary stage, though he thought that it would ultimately go through. The Chemical company has only two machines on box paper, of a total capacity of 20 tons every 24 hours. The plant at Readsboro, which is controlled by the Newtons, will be most interested in the new company. This plant has a capacity of 12 tons a day. There are 17 firms interested in the com sination, and all are members of the National pulp board company, the organiza-tion which has regulated the market for pulp board since 1895 The question of he mill valuations is at present the stumbling block in the way of a harmonious adjustment of all the discordant elements. Another meeting has been called to be held in Boston within two weeks.

Thrilling Bear Stunt. Fred Robinson of Wilmington came med, so that his friends would hardly out hunting recently near what is known ry near capturing some hig on spent nearly all of their married life in recognize him. The police found in his will give the state of th

> The Republican schatterial programmer disconnected animal for a mile or more by the marks of blood left behind, which made an excellent trail, it commenced to get dark and Mr. Robinson then turned his face homeward, thinking that the recommendation of the second control of the second c face homeward, thinking that the wounded bear would soon grow exhausted and die. Tuesday night there was a heavy rain and when the hunter returned to hunt for the bear Wednesday morning all trace of the trail had been washed away and, after hunting late into the afternoon,

Mr Rebinson returned without the game

CHESTER. Norman A. Smith, 73, died at his home at the Depot village Thursday, after a long illness Mr. Smith had been a resident here 35 years, and during the time has held important town offices. He was elected one of the selectmen several years in succession, served as town clerk, and in 1886 he was elected representative to the legislature. He leaves a widow and one daughter, Mrs. W. S. Pollard.

The 57th anniversary of the marriage of Mr and Mrs. James A. Pollard of Chester was celebrated Oct. 12. Mr. Poliard was orn in Plymouth and lived in that town 45 years He was superintendent of the state prison at Windsor for 11 years and represented Plymouth in the legi-lature two years and was senator in 1862-3. Twelve children were born to them, of which nine are still living. He has been justice of the peace since he lived in Chester, 11 years.

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When people buy, try and buy again, it means they're satisfied. The people of the United States are now buying Cascarets Candy Cathartic at the rate of two million boxes a year, and it will be three million before New Year's. It means merit proved, that Cascarets are the most deligh ful bowel regulator for everybody the year round. All druggists 10, 25 50 cents a box. Cure guaranteed.

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and keeps or the twice as clean with half the effort. Oust Washing Powder has given man a common the resultation of being a queen to be the common that the seepers. Do you use it? Largest progressive common that the seepers. This see Yerk. Boston. Philadelphia. THE R. K. PAIRBANK COMPANY, CAR NAMES OF THE OWNERS OF THE OWNERS OF THE OWNER, WHEN THE OWNER

Legal Notices

TATE OF VERHOAT, Mar.boro. SS.

By the Pr. bate court for said district.
To all persons inter-sted in the estate of D. A.
C. Smith, late of Brattleboro, in said district.

You are hereby notified that this court will decide upon the allowance of the account of Carener L. Silviney, administrator upon the estate of D. A. C. Smith, late of Bratilehoro in said district, diversed, and decree distribution thereof to the persons emitted thereto, at the se sion thereof to be held at the Probate office in Bratilehoro, in said district, on the 19th day of October A. D. 1898, when and where you may be heard in the premises, if you see cause.

42 A. F. SCHWENK, Register,

The Probate Court for Said District,
To all persons interested to the estate of CHAS
W KIMBALL, late of Putney, is said district,
deceased,
Whereas, Mark Ward has presented to this
court an inframent purporting to be final Whereas, Mark Ward has presented to this court an in frument purporting to b the last will of said deceased for probate:—You are here by not fled that this court will decide upon the probate of sai histrument at the session thereof to be held at the Probate Office in Bellows Falls is said district, on the 5th day of November, 1899, when and where you may appear and contest the same if you see cause.

ZINA H. ALLRE*, Register.

STATE OF VERMONT, Meriboro, S.
By the Probate Court for Said District,
To all persons interested in the e-tate of JOHN
HULEMAN, late of Putney, in said district, de-You are hereby notified that this court will decede upon the allowance of the account of Mark Ward. Administra or upon said estate, and decree di tribution thereof to the persons entitled, at the session the reof to be belt at the Probate Office in Bellows Falls on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1958, when and where you may be beard in the premises, if you see cause.

2 ZINA H. ALLB: E. Register.

STATE OF VERHONT, Mariboro, SS.

By the Probate Court for said district.

To all persons interested in the estate of ABAGAH, M GOULD, late of Dover, in said district,
Greeting.

You are hereby notified that this court wa You are hereby possibled that this court will deolde upon the allowance of the account of J. H.
Merrifield, administrator upon the estate of Aba
gail M. ould, late of Dover in said district, deceased, and decree distribution thereof to the
persons entitled thereto at the session thereof to
be field at the Frohate office in Brattleboro, in
said district, on the 25th day of October, A. D.
1898, when and where you may be heard in the
premises, if you see cause.

A. F. SCHWENK, Register.

STATE OF VERMONT, Mariboro, 88. By the Probate Court for said district.

To all persons interested in the estate of GEORGE B. BOYD, late of Dover, deceased,

Whereas, Ruel G. Boyd has presented to this curt an instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased, for probate:—You are hereby notified that his court wil decide upon the probate of said i strument at the session thereof to be held in the Probate office in first leboro, in said district, on the 24th day of October, A. D. 1898, when and where you may appear and contest the same, if you see cause.

A. F. SCHWENK, Register.

STATE OF VERMONT Mariboro, 88. By the Probate court for said district.
To all persons interested in the estate of
ELMIRA H. BROWN, late of Brattleboro, de-ELMRA H. BROWN, late of black ceased.

Whereas, Henry R. Brown has presented to this court an instrument purporting to be the last will of said devased, for protate.—You are hereby notified that this court will decide upon the pronate of said instrument at the session thereof, to be held at the Protate Office in Bratileboro, in said district, on the 29th day of October A. D. 1898, when and where you may appear and contest the same, if you see cause.

42 A. F. SCHWENK, Register,

TATE OF VERMONT, Mariboro, 88. To all persons inter-sted in the estate of NATHAN PHELPS, late of Halifax, deceased,

Whereas, Charles H. Phelps has presented to this court an instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased, for probate—You are hereby notified that this court will decide upon the probate of said instrument at the session the probate of said instrument at the session thereof to be held at the Probate office in Brattleboro, in said district, on the 29th day of October, A. D. 18%, when and where you may appear and costest the same, if you see cause,

42 A. F. SCHWENK, Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.
ESTATE OF J. D. WHEAT.
The undersigned, having teen duly appointe
by the Honorable Probate court for the district
of Westminster, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all
persons against the estate of J. D. Wheat.
Putney, in said district, deceased, and
exhibited in offset thereto, heads day of September and School of Dece from 10 o close a M. and 1 o close o M.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE

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The undersigned having been appointed by the Honorable Probate court for the district of Maribore, commissioners, to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons spainst the estate of Russell C. Gifford, late of Whitingham in said district, decreased, and all claims exhibited in offset thereto, hereby give notice that we will meet for the purpose aforesad, at the offlice of A. A. Futterfield, in Whitingham on the lath day of Cetober and the 25th day of February next, from 10 o'ctock A. S. until 4 o clock P. M., each of said days, and that six months from the 25th day of August A. D. 1898, I the tine climited by said court for a dereditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

A. C. STETSON

ALC. STETSON,
SCHUYLER MURDOCK,
Whitingham, Sept. 17, 1898. STATE OF VERMONT, Mariboro, SS. By the Probate Court for said district.

To all persons interested in the estate of JOHN B. SAGE, late of Wilmington, in said district, deceased.

Whereas, Nahor L. Sage, late of Wilmington in said district, deceased, has filed his petition in this court setting forth that the sale of the whole of the real estate of said deceased will be bened in to the heirs and all persons interested therein, and praying for life use to sell the same, and at the same time filed in this court what purports to be the consent in writing of all the heirs residing in this state to such sale. Whereupon it is ordered, that the same be heard at the session of said court, to be held at the Probate office in Brattleburo, on the last Saturday of October A. D. 1898 when and where you may be heard in the premises, if you see cause.

STATE OF VERMONT, Mariboro 88.

Whereas, Charles H. Prescott, guardian of Atherto. Prescott of purpose as he has filed his petition is that said Atherton Prescott of purpose as he had been as the south by other land.

Prescott: east by land formerly owned by heajamin Stickney; and west by land of S. W. Estey And said guardian further represents to said court that it will be conducive to the interests of his said ward to sell the whole of said real estate, for the purpose of putting the proceeds thereof at h is said ward to sell the whole of said real estate, for the purpose of putting the proceeds thereof at interest, or otherwise investing the same, and praying for license to sell the same. Whereupon it is ordered that the same be heard at the session of said court, to be held at the Prob-te office in Brattieburo, on the last Saturday of October, A.D. 1898, when and where you may be heard in the premises, if you see cause.

A.F. SCHWENK, Register.

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